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In re the Application of Gro DICELLO et al Examiner: M. Butler Serial No. 08/241,109 Raychem Corporation 300 Constitution Drive Filed: May 11, 1994 Menlo Park, CA 94025 A PROCESS FOR THE April 22, 1996 For:

MANUFACTURE OF METAL TUBES

RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231 Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated December 20, 1995, the following amendments and remarks are submitted. An extension of one (1) month for reply is requested; please charge the fee for this extension (\$110) to Deposit Account No. 18-0560. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to this deposit account. Reconsideration, reexamination and allowance are respectfully requested in view of the Amendments and Remarks below.

Amendments

In the Claims:

Please amend claims 1, 2, 10 and 20 as follows.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231 on the date shown below.

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